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In re application of:

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For: NOVEL CO-STIMULATORY MOLECULES

Examiner: Phillip Gambel

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**RESPONSE TO RE-DRAFTED
RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In Response to the re-drafted Restriction Requirement mailed March 8, 2004, Applicants elect Restriction Group I, claims 259-301 and 368, drawn to polypeptides, without traverse.

If the Examiner believes a telephone conference would expedite the prosecution of this application, the undersigned can be reached at the telephone number below. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in fees to Deposit Account No. 50-0990.

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